## 2.9 Transferring ERIC Privileges to the New LDEQ Business Web Portal

As of October 2013, the ERIC application was transferred to LDEQ's new Business Web Portal. Existing ERIC users (those with accounts established prior to the transfer) can easily transfer their ERIC privileges (account access and user roles) to the new business web portal as follows:

- 1. Open the LDEQ Web Portal as you have done in the past at <a href="http://www.deq.louisiana.gov/eric">http://www.deq.louisiana.gov/eric</a>.
- 2. Instead of following the old link to ERIC, the homepage now has two buttons one blue and one green.

  Because you already have an account and want to transfer your ERIC privileges, click on the "green" ERIC button.



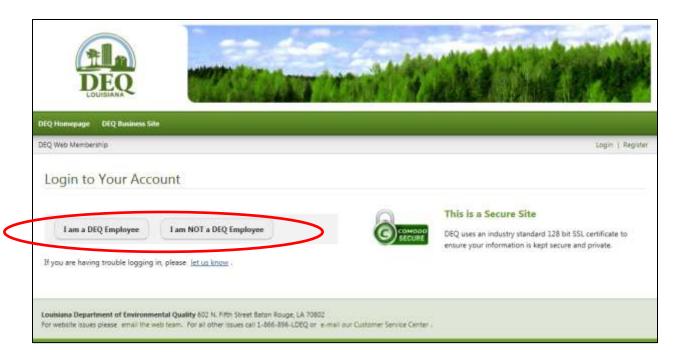
3. From that page, use the Login link to log in to the web portal using your existing ERIC credentials:



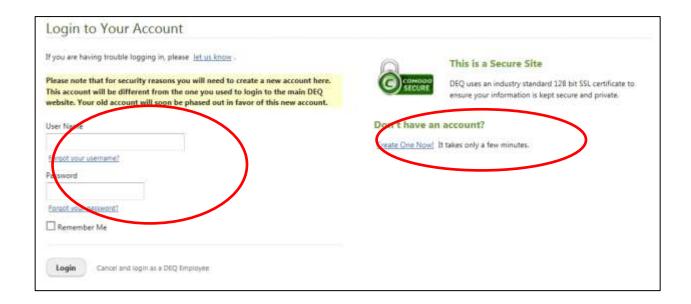
4. If you have ERIC permissions that can be transferred to the new Business Portal, you will see this page:



5. Follow the link on the page above to transfer to the Business Web Portal where you must either log in using an existing account (if you have already have an account on the Business Web Portal), or create a new account:



- 6. First, you will need to click the "I am NOT a DEQ Employee" button.
  - a. IF YOU <u>ALREADY HAVE A BUSINESS WEB PORTAL ACCOUNT</u> TO MAKE PAYMENTS AND OTHER ONLINE BUSINESS WITH LDEQ, on the next screen, enter your Business Portal user id and password and NOT your old ERIC user id and password! This will merge your ERIC permissions with your other LDEQ online access permissions.
  - b. IF YOU <u>DO NOT ALREADY HAVE A BUSINESS WEB PORTAL ACCOUNT</u> TO MAKE PAYMENTS AND OTHER ONLINE BUSINESS WITH LDEQ, and you will need to click the "**Create One Now!**" link and follow the instructions to create your new account there. Once you create this new Business Portal Account, your ERIC privileges will be attached to it. Please refer to Section 2.2 for more details on creating a new Business Web Portal account.



7. Once you have completed this process (logging in with an existing or new account) you will be directed to the new ERIC home page with your account access privileges intact. At this point you will no longer need to log in to the old ERIC web portal – when you go to the ERIC home page you will follow the "blue" traditional ERIC link which will now automatically take you to the Business Web Portal:



8. After you have completed this process, attempting to log in to the old ERIC web portal will give you the following page:

## ERIC has moved to the new DEQ Business Portal. It appears that your account has already been transitioned to the new business portal. You no longer need to log in to this website to access ERIC simply follow the main ERIC link on the previous page, or use the link below. Click here to go to the new ERIC website. ERIC Version 8.2.T